

HARD WORK TO DRAW WILLARD ONTO A BATTLE

Dempsey Using But Little
Tact in Trying to Force
Big Jess.

TEN ROUNDS SUITS CIRCUS MAN BEST

By T. S. ANDREWS.

JACK DEMPSEY and his manager, Jack Kearns, are evidently trying to make a "big" fight out of the Dempsey-Jess fight, but it is not a fight for the title, or in fact any kind of match—just to let Jess have a chance against the big Kansas farmer and his manager. Spencer Penrose, of Colorado Springs, Colo., has been endeavoring to stage a big fight between Jess and Dempsey since the latter's arrival in the city. Jess and Dempsey together in a 20 round fight, Jess accepted, but the boxing attachment was a little stronger than Mr. Penrose realized and as a result the match is still hanging fire. However, Dempsey and his manager got busy and in order to get Jess going again, they sent the following wire to the Colorado Springs manager: "Jack will give Willard \$1000 to sign articles for a match and will donate \$2000 to the Red Cross if he fails to knock out Willard in ten rounds. We think you are both bluffing."

Now, whether or not the bluff will be called, is not known, but the chances are that Big Jess will smile just once and then begin talking about his off weeks and how much easier it would be to wait until after the fight was over when they can all get together and talk over a real big match for the championship. Jess admits being 26 years of age now, but he expects to be 30 in a year, and he says he will take the count inside of six months, when he can get busy with Dempsey. And again, Jess figures that it would be a waste of energy to fight 20 rounds when the same ends could be reached in a ten round bout. There is no doubt the slightest doubt that Dempsey is absolutely right in demanding a match for the title, but he is going about it in the right way. Jess is the king pin until he retires or fights, but he has one of those stubborn dispositions and is not very liable to be "goaded" into a match with any one. Then, again, this talk about forcing a younger fighter to fight Jess in ten rounds is not going to sound like much to the champion. As stated before, Jess is stubborn and will not doubt take a dislike to such moves. He got on his ear over some trouble with Tom Jones and Jack Curley and is still nursing the grievance and the same thing may happen with Jess. Dempsey and Jess are getting a champion into a match is some job after all. It is barely possible that Jess may be encouraged by what Dempsey didn't do when he boxed Willie Meekun recently, and take up the fight.

Heinie Groh Claims

Record of Shortest Hit

Various players have laid claim to the honor of making the shortest hit in a championship ball game, yet there is no dispute as to who is entitled to the honor for making the shortest. Heinie Groh accomplished that feat in a recent game between the Giants and Cubs in Cincinnati. The home third baseman swung vigorously at a ball delivered to him by Pettit, but only "topped" the pellet, sending it away toward first base. Bill Rariden, who was catching, looked in vain for the ball, and every member of the Giant infield, until at last Groh had reached first in safety. Umpire Higley pointed it out to Pettit, who said he was fair territory not more than two inches in front of the plate, having struck in the depression in front of the rubber, where it bugged the earth, neither bounding nor rolling away.

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Gen. Hornbrook Calls a
Meeting of All Officials
For Organization.

Each succeeding track and field meet at Fort Bliss sees material progress both in conducting of the event under supervision of the athletic council and in condition and form of entrants. Pursuant to the policy of making every meet the best one, officials for the next big meet Wednesday, September 25, have been announced from headquarters of the Second cavalry brigade and a call issued by Brig. Gen. J. J. Hornbrook, commanding, for a meeting of officers to organize for the day.

A full list of officers follows:

Officer in charge, Lieut. Col. F. W. Givens, Second cavalry.

Chief referee, Lieut. Col. John Wagner, district quartermaster.

Assistant, Capt. C. H. Kinney, adjutant general's department.

Chief judge track and military events, Maj. L. R. Ball, 15th cavalry.

Assistant judge, Capt. L. R. Jones, Seventh cavalry.

Chief of field and mounted events, Maj. E. M. Corbett, base hospital.

Assistant, Lieut. F. K. Forsyth, 2d field artillery.

Lieut. Wm. C. Rowe, Fifth cavalry.

Lieut. R. H. Harbison, 11th cavalry.

Second Lieut. S. H. Walker, 21st cavalry.

Judges first aid contest: (Chief) Maj. H. P. Kuhn, base hospital; Capt. O. H. Lawrence, base hospital; Capt. F. D. Parrott, base hospital; Capt. E. J. League, base hospital; Capt. E. M. Hopman, base hospital; first Lieut. R. Stafford, base hospital; first Lieut. O. J. Hatcher, base hospital.

Chief of course, Mr. McCullough, T. M. C. A.

Assistant, Mr. Smith, T. M. C. A.

Timekeeper, Lieut. J. F. Meade, 2d field artillery.

Lieut. W. P. Peacock, 2d field artillery.

Lieut. W. O. Jay, 2d field artillery.

Announcer, Lieut. F. D. Larson, 2d field artillery.

Assistants: Sergt. Flaming, battery A, 2d field artillery; Corp. Piele, battery F, 2d field artillery; Corp. Robbins, battery F, 2d field artillery; Sgt. Byrd, battery A, 2d field artillery.

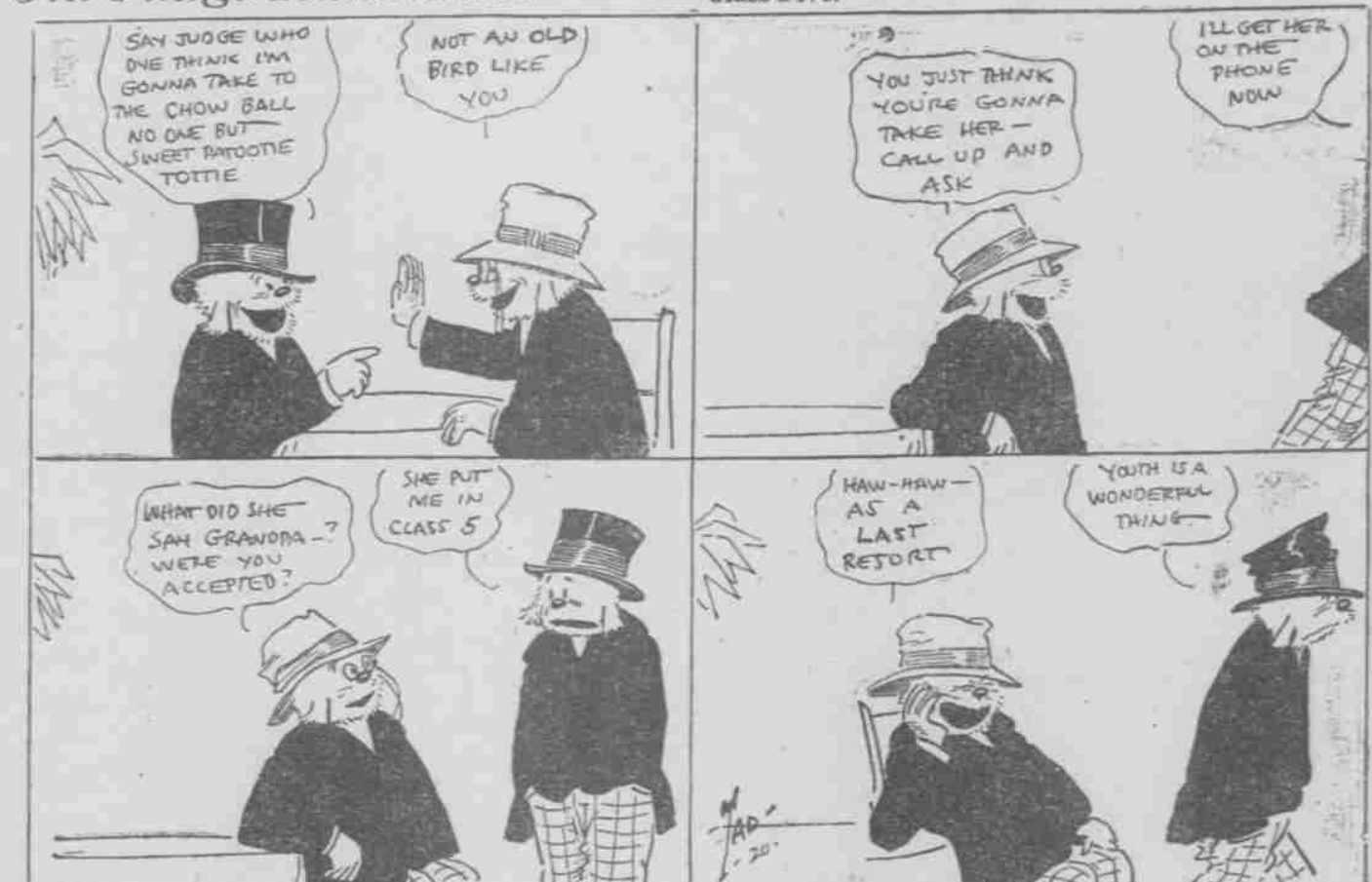
Recorder, regimental Sergt. Maj. J. A. Cowart, headquarters Second cavalry brigade.

The above named officers, with the exception of those designated to judge the best trained mount, will meet at brigade headquarters at 1:30 p. m., September 24, for the purpose of organization, and on Wednesday, September 25, on the main parade ground at 8:30 a. m. and 1:30 p. m., respectively.

Old Judge Rumhauser

When a Guy Gets In
Class Five.

By Tad



'KIECKY' COMES BACK STRONG

Otis Badly Beaten in Second
Block by World
Billiard Champion.

Chicago, Sept. 20.—Having past Charles Otis, of New York, who defeated him 10 to 45 Wednesday night, Augie Kieckhefer, won the second block of the world's three cushion billiard championship match, 25 to 25, last night in 44 innings. The total score for the two nights stands 100 to 12 in Kieckhefer's favor with the final block to play tomorrow night.

MITCHELL BRINGS LIFE TO REDS.

If the Cincinnati Reds had had a pitcher like Roy Mitchell all season, well, they might have been in the world's series. Absence of Hal Chase and the addition of Mitchell made the Reds look like a real team in the last two weeks of the National League season.

BOUNTS AT NEW REGIMENT ARE REGULAR CRIZZLY AFFAIRS

Red Williams Disposes of Battling Antonio; Muche
Puts Carpenello Away Within 20 Seconds of Final
Gong; "Windmill" Villiani Earns Decision Over
McGowan; Plenty of Fast Mitt Action in Contests.

By ROY EMER.

THE boxing fan who attends a show at the cavalry recruit camp, Lieut. Keister, commanding, and has what he believes is a peaceful ringside seat, is mistaken. At almost regular intervals a contestant goes shooting out through the ropes and lands in some ringholder's lap. During the six hours Thursday night at the new arena near the old 25th infantry cautions, no less than seven times battlers were knocked through the ropes, Carpenello going headfirst entirely out over officers' row. It took the combined efforts of four officers to keep the diver from reaching the ground after doing a fine specimen of Jackknife.

Williams Has Kick.

In the best bout of the evening "Red" Williams defeated Battling Antonio in four rounds of good boxing. During the first round Williams put Antonio to the floor three times with hard rights to the jaw but the battler arose each time without taking the count.

It appeared at the end of the first round that the fight might not last another round, but Antonio came back with a surprise package in the second. When Williams came across with his right Antonio blocked it and shot in a right uppercut that once turned Red completely around. Both boxers began by a frivolous exhibition of hopping and dancing around the ring, but by the middle of the second round had settled down to business. Antonio proved far the cleverer on his feet, his footwork saving his bat-

SPORTOGRAPHY By "Gravy"

THAT American leaguers have been very successful in recent years, winning seven series out of eight, not including the one just played.

Lefty Russell, who pitched for the Athletics a few years ago, has been wounded in action in France. In a recent offensive in a Lorraine sector held by the Americans, Russell stopped a shrapnel ball with his head, the steel slug making an ugly gash across his forehead. He was taken to the field dressing station, where he is now convalescing, and it is said that he will soon be ready to go back to his post in the front line trenches.

TYLER'S EIGHTH ANNIVERSARY.

George Tyler, the eminent baseball player of the Chicago Cubs, will round out his eighth anniversary in fast company today, for he played his first game under the big tent on Sept. 20, 1912.

Tyler made his debut under the auspices of the Boston Braves, and pitched three innings after two other twirlers had been driven from the mound. The Pirates made five hits off his delivery, but George kept them from scoring.

Tyler is a native of Derry, N. H., and was in 1912 a 21-year-old boy who joined the Boston club, where he remained until the end of the 1917 season, starting the 1918 campaign with the Cubs. His apprenticeship in the minors was brief, for he started his professional career with Lowell, in New England league, in 1916, and was sold in mid-season to Boston. In his early days with the Braves George was as wild as wild Bill Donovan, but gradually triumphed over that tendency, and developed into one of the twirling mainstays of the Braves. He was the left-handed member of the famous "big three" of the pennant winners. On many occasions there have been rumors that the Braves proposed to part with Tyler, and in 1912 and 1913 it was announced almost every month that

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The athletes are from points as far south as New Orleans in the south, New York, Boston, Pullman, Wyo., Pittsburgh and Philadelphia in the east, Camp Fremont, Cal., in the west, the aviation fields in the southwest and the royal air force of Toronto, Canada, in the north. The entry list of 251 for the monster carnival is a record breaker.

The contests today are for the junior championships. Tomorrow, the national title holders and other "blue ribbon" performers will meet for the senior championships on Monday. The relays and all around championships will be decided. Three hundred and twenty-five athletes will arrive for honors in the junior events.

Two thirds of the number who will take part in today's program are training for overseas. They will run under the colors of a score of army camps and naval stations.

Justice Barlow S. Weeks, of the New York supreme court, a National A. A. U. official of years of experience, will be the honorary referee. Other officials include Capt. William A. Moffatt, commandant at the station; Charles A. Dean, president of the National A. A. U.; Nelson Lamper, president of the Chicago Athletic association; and Fred W. Ruben, secretary of the National A. A. U.

There are 18 events on today's program which means that the final events will not be finished until nearly dark.